SYLLABUBIC KATE KATE CLYDE

must be paid before Easter. st be paid before Eastern well, that de-

like an angel.

really contemplation. tly. they noticed?" "And what if they Then take the black gowns. They are

aged in similar contemplation. The black point act is, there's nothing but vanity in d'esprit. the air-hidden vanity, of course. But Argentine is

sn't vanity of the thoughts vanity? All the shops have blossomed forth stunning gown with the daintiest of things, and one of the latter masimply can't help reveling in them. I terial. You am having all my gowns made early. should see it! It The styles are well established, and it's is low necked foliy to wait until the shops become and sleeveless. crowded. You see, I always choose my The whole think materials myself. A girl who leaves is a mass of tiny that to her dressmaker generally ruchings, givcks individuality. I have a theory ing, as madame at you ought to be able to name the puts wher of a gown even when the gown smokelike efnot on the person. No; that doesn't fect." But here ound well. I'll begin over again. I comes the acmean that a girl's gowns should pro- cent. All over aim the wearer even when they are the plain parts "Here comes Kate Clyde's anging on the closet hook. Now, per- of the corsage inderstand what I mean. A and scattered ove nobody had ever seen-and if I could en- from their dark background.

ENT is drawing to a close, things in clothes, and look where I am! and people are simply too The novelty of the season is without busy for anything. On all doubt the accent gown. This is anothsides you see the lazy ones er devilish contrivance to entrap man. making up their neglected You know, he is an unappreciative bruyers and giving out to seamstresses brute at best. Dainty effects are utterity garments they haven't had ly lost on him. He can't for the life of faish at the sewing circles, him remember whether you wore a time to phose at the spiritual debts hand embroidered gown or not, whether your skirt was ruffled or plaited, and

As for the playing the word, at such pains to select. But there is pends on now you deal of churchgoing one thing a man won't forget. Ask eling however. Yesterday Mu- him for a description of a dress, and and kneeding. It to afternoon services you'll see. "Oh, well," he'll begin, "her Muriel is a blond, with a gown was made of some fuzzy stuff or together. And demure blue eyes. She something or other, kind of dark, might saintly tace and stained glass window, have been almost any shade, and I and it cast a glory about her. Her guess there was a ribbon or two stuck eyes were fixed around-I didn't notice-and some lace, dreamily on perhaps, but the dandy thing of it all space, her head was that she had a rose pinned up on devoutly bent, the left side of her waist, and what do her hands clasp- you think? That rose exactly matched ed. She looked the color of her lips!" There you are! It's very simple, and

The others rose, the girl, foxy creature, has just adopted sat down, rose the man's point of view. For instance, again, but still Margery Briscome is having a pale yel-Muriel remain- low gown made. It's trimmed with ed in heavenly black in a very conventional manner, contemplation, but with it she will wear a big bunch Services came to of Parma violets, with streamers of a conclusion, narrow lavender velvet. It matches Still she did not her eyes, you see. And the man-well, move. Finally I the man will just see the violets like a grew frighten- deep spot in the midst of all that pale ed, and I spoke yellow fluffiness, and he will look above her name gen- the violets and find their duplicates in With a her eyes. Then he will proceed to make great start, she came to earth and a fool of himself, and he will think it's cast a horrified glance around her all on account of her eyes. But he nevat the empty church. "Oh, Kitty," er would have noticed them if she had "do you suppose simply worn a black and yellow dress.

hid?" I answered indignantly. "Isn't all the rage. People used to think black burch the place to pray in?" "Pray!" was only meant for elderly women, but harch the place to play the she began to it isn't. Just try it on a very young there is a general softening of the lines, and hysterically. "I—I was planning girl with a fair skin or a brunette Crush stocks are worn instead of the lines. I should have the sleeves of my whose hair and eyes match it. The matron has her gown made of black wager that half the church was chantilly, and her young sister wears

Mme. making me a

the skirt are appli-

I was going to talk about the new as organdie. You see, these stiff mus- big, alluring rosettes of satin and



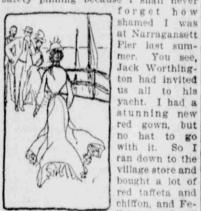
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AN EASTER COSTUME FROM PARIS.

If I begin on the new shirt waists, shall never finish. Of course, the tailor ones are always with us, but this year collars, and little frilled ties of the same material lend an air of gayety to the plainest waists. Even the red flannel golf waist has become frivolous. Maisie's new one is laid in lingerie tucks back and front, and there are five tucks through the center of each sleeve, Right down the front there are three fat black velvet bows which look postively saucy. As for the little French blouses, they defy description with their many insertions and embroideries. Rose, bluet, linen and lilac-these are the prevailing shades, and I want to give you a hint: It is the thing this year to have your sunshade made of mings of my white hat and tacked on the same material as your waist. For the red stuff with a most Parislan instance, if you have a rose dimity with touch. I tripped gayly down the street a black dot, your sunshade must be to the boathouse where the others were washable and removable.

hats, though I assure you I could go people were staring; but, naturally, I on talking forever without so much as stopping for breath. Thus it is to be when I reached the group on the landperson once said to me that if I could qued American Beauty roses-hand horn vain and to worship clothes! ing! Oh, I shall never forget to my dytake an entirely new gown of mine—one painted velvet ones which faintly gleam Well, my dear friends, this millinery ing day how they laughed! The only season is a triumph for the girl who dow this gown with life and make it I cannot boast one organdie in my wants a thousand and one hats and four common pins standing on end! walk down Fifth avenue, all my friends summer wardrobe. Organdies are too who consequently must trim them at would exclaim, "Here comes Kate perishable, and, besides, there are sub- home. You purchase a becoming shape Clyde's gown!" Of course, the person stitutes this year. Take, for instance, in black chiffon, white lace or whatever was a man. You never would catch a the very latest-white brussels net shade you desire. Then you buy the trimwoman saying a nice thing like that, stamped in natural colors with poppies ming for the hat all put together. They Oh, no! Women find out where your and roses. You would swear the flow- are actually selling in the shops Marie waist draws across the back and the ers were painted, and the effect is soft | Antoinette wreaths of roses which will reason why it "hikes up" on one side. and clinging and three times as sheer fall into place of their own accord and

lins are out of date. You can't have panne which simply require safety pin- friends, but to a great extent this layyour dress materials too soft this sum- ning to the front of one's hat. I say ish outlay is rendered abortive by the safety pinning because I shall never forget how shamed I was



How they laughed!

These sunshade covers are both waiting. There was a pretty stiff wind, and so I held on to my hat brim with I am merely going to touch on the all my might. After a bit I noticed trimming on my whole hat consisted of New York.

RELIC OF THE EMPRESS,

ally consisted in buying presents for not too hard for the teeth. of giving fancy prices.

goods were worth. "Don't give more the room. than - francs," whispered the empress | Fish is a most nutritious article of dry-probably a minute. Then take the in English as she passed. "That is diet for children, the great drawback next strand and treat it in the same their proper price." The lady thanked being the bones, which it contains in way till all are curled. Done in this her, and the shopkeeper at once re- large quantities and which must all be way the waving will last for several duced his demand. The shawl is now most carefully removed before it is giv- days, unless the weather happens to be looked upon almost as a relic of the en to the child. beautiful empress.

JET TRIMMED EMPIRE GOWN.

in dullest jet mounted on lisse, the decolletage cut low and square, decorated in summer after the first three weeks; likely to make the enamel chip. Prewith a large, embroidered lisse colfar, in winter after the first five weeks, and cipitated chalk is an excellent tooth the same lisse embroidery forming the then only in the sunshine.



red taffeta and chiffon, and Felicie ripped off the pink trim-

Sweets such as chocolate, butter mean sacrificing the little one's life. scotch, sugar candy and acid drops are quite harmlesss to children if they are the ear is that it tempts unskillful peo- ateur manufacture is contemplated. bought at a good confectioner's whose ple to try to remove it. Syringing the The best models are eminently plain. One of the few occupations that name is guarantee of the purity of the ear with lukewarm soap and water will Velvet has been chosen by the artamused and interested the late empress articles sold and provided the sweets usually suffice to dislodge a hard body of Austria was shopping, which gener- are only allowed in moderation and are which is not too tightly wedged in. If, however, it is something that will absorb water and swell, this must not be her friends. This pleasure she could, Gardens are a source of great amuse-

done on any account, as it would only of course, only indulge in during her ment and interest to their little owners, fasten it more securely. The wisest visits to Italy and the Tyrol, when she and wherever it is possible a small plot went about strictly incognite, though of ground should be set aside for the plan is to take the child to a doctor as she was too remarkable a personality children's use and a few plants and soon as possible. not to be generally recognized. She seeds given them. This encourages a not only enjoyed buying, but she knew love for flowers, teaches them many the value of things and had no notion lessons, and at the same time the digging, watering, etc., afford them and allow it to dry thoroughly. Then On one occasion when she was buying healthy exercise in the open air. In take it, a piece at a time, dip your silk shawls, the specialty of a small places where a garden is out of the brush in any good scent-eau de co-Italian town, an English lady came question a few inexpensive pots of flow- logne for preference-and brush the into the shop on the same errand. The ers on the nursery ledge given into the strand to be curled with the damp shopman, after the manner of Italians, children's care will give an intense brush. While still damp apply heated asked a much higher price than the amount of pleasure to the inmates of curling irons or wavers and hold the

Gingerbread made with oatmeal or

barley flour makes a very good mild aperient medicine for children and, as An exquisite robe is an empire gown a rule, is much liked by them. An infant should be taken out daily and if they are inclined to be brittle is

WOMAN'S ODD LITTLE WAYS.

BY TABITHA SOURGRAPES.

hair in place with them till it is quite very damp.

TO KEEP YOUR HAIR WAVED. First dampen your hair with alcohol

tions of many diseases to which children are subject and should never be

The chief danger of a foreign body in

SPOILING THE TEETH.

The habit some women have of biting their cotton spoils the edge of the teeth powder and has the merit of being Shivering fits are the earliest indica- | cheap.

of the production of the produ and tables and every corner hidden behind graceful palms and ferns.

All this merely for the transitory gratification of two people who perhaps do not care for flowers. In the case of the McKinleys this statement does not hold good, as they are both ardent admirers of the dainty blooms. Now, flowers are associated with the

best and tenderest of human sentiments, with home and domesticity, They deserve to be cultivated amid loving surroundings and for the purpose of extending to the utmost their beneficent influences, not reared for the mere adornment of a room or building on public occasions. This view, it is gratifying to note, the present gentle mistress of the White House is disposed to mid-Lenten season in Wash- tion. For this no blame attaches to take, and to the extent of her influence ington is the dispensing the temporary residents there, for the she will, it is reported, divert as many among the poor and the kindly disposition of the present mis-sick in hospitals of the tress of the White House is well known, tinations—the homes of the worthy floral favors which nature, carefully and it has not been so much from any poor and the cots of the suffering. But cultivated, has placed at the disposal of disinclination to scatter these precious in doing this she has to combat the trafavors as from hide bound custom that ditions of the conservatory guardians, the mistress of the White House.

Strange as it may seem, the edict Mrs. McKinley has kept them to herwho are strongly intrenched in their "power of place" and resist strenuoustories attached to the executive man- Every morning a large basket of the ly any innovations whatever of this

sion should be used solely for the culti- choicest flowers adorns the breakfast character. vation of flowers for mere ornamental table, together with a bouquet for her-purposes or for the gratification of the self should she desire it and a bouton- McKinley have been taken in the coninmates of that historic dweiling, and niere for the president. At the state servatory, with a background of palms it has generally been observed to the dinners and public receptions the rooms or choice ferns, and it is quite natural very letter. Not even in the growing fairly revel in bloom of flower and to associate one of her sweet and genof the flowers has the public been fa- curvature of leaf, roses and rare ex- tle nature with the daintiest and pret-





The White House

went forth long ago that the conserva- self.

vored by a glimpse, as the glass roofs

and sides of the structures in which they are housed and the plant beds in

the gardens have been so hedged about

that they are securely guarded from observation. The great possibilities of

these conservatories have never been

exploited, for, while there is an acre or more under glass immediately attached

to the White House, where every spe

les of plant susceptible of cultivation

for beauty and adornment is carefully

conserved and a large force of garden-

ers is employed and an annual appro priation of at least \$10,000 is made by

congress, probably more than nine-

tenths of the total product practically

It is well, perhaps, if there is to be ex-

travagance in or around the White House that it should be in the rais-

ing of flowers which may be enjoyed

only by the illustrious occupants of the

executive mansion and their intimate

goes to waste.

Conservatories

During Lent

PLEASING feature of the | methods employed in their final disposi-

TWO VIEWS OF THE WHITE HOUSE CONSERVATORY.

OF THE CHILDREN. neglected. A neglected shivering may

A SIMPLE COAT FOR CHILDREN'S WEAR.

tiest productions of cultured society. Of

all the ladles of the White House very

few have manifested deep concern for

the flowers so lavishly strewn before

them for their delectation or devoted

much of their time to the gardens or

conservatories. Mrs. Harrison is said

to have been the only one of the later

occupants to do so, but the peculiar

conditions surrounding Mrs. McKinley

have forced her to spend much time

among the flowers, since the delicate

state of her health will not admit of

her going outdoors to any extent for

Those of us who have been privileged

to see her "at home" in one of the gor-

geous apartments of the White House,

seated on a couch with her knitting or

sewing, and have noted the pleasure with which she bestows upon her visit-

ors the flowers so profusely provided

at hand, do not doubt that many hearts

will be gladdened and many a poor

home brightened this season by the

surplus products of the White House

conservatories.

Simplicity is the first requirement for children's coats, at any rate where am-



ist for the boy's coat, but the design is equally suitable for cloth. The collar, square shaped at the back, is faced with white cloth, a white suede belt completing the coat.

WASN'T THEIR BOAT.

They were tossing about on the wild and restless ocean in a small, open boat at least 100 feet from the beach. He was struggling manfully to battle with the surging waves and to pull for the shore; she was sitting in a heap in the stern of the frail bark, holding on like grim death and mentally vowing that she would never again be tempted by her lover's daring spirit to venture so far from land.

"I know we shall go over!" she shrieked as the boat gave another lurch. "Oh, George, try and manage

"I will!" replied he, firmly. "I could get along splendidly if the waves didn't make it go all ways at once. Don't be afraid, Sarah. We're getting nearer,

"A little. Oh, George, what shall we do if the boat is lost?" "Don't you worry yourself about that,

my dear," said George soothingly. "It isn't our boat!' And he continued his fight with the

cruel, remorseless waves.

TO SOFTEN YOUR HANDS.

Spread the insides of a loose pair of gloves, preferably white, with the following mixture, cut off the fingers and thumbs of the gloves and wear them at night: Two ounces of refined white wax, two ounces of cocoa butter, two ounces of oil of sweet almonds. Heat slowly in an enameled saucepan, stir then stir till cool. ring constandy till thoroughly mixed,

AN is not given to overesti- ber and go out of existence before it fully the financial affairs of Turkey. mating woman intellectual- would let a woman join the organiza- though knowing full well that no ly and executively. If any tion, and the dear creatures know tumble down person of her own sex considerable enterprise is to be undertaken, he jumps to the decision that it must have at the head of it Man with a large M. But if the conducting of his enterprise requires dissenting voice. It likes the coals, vide coffee and checkers to keep the T. conducting of his enterprise requires dissenting voice. It likes the coals, vide coffee and checkers to keep the money, a large amount of money ob- The ladies go into business houses men indoors and prevent their going tained in small ways, semi or wholly and beg. They "bone" every man to horrid places nights, tip the wink begging ways, that part of the task they know for a contribution. Man to woman. She arranges entertainbegging ways, that part of the task they know for a contribution. Man to woman, she arranges to the turns over without hesitation to mostly holds the money, but it takes ments, she waylays professional lectures readers and singers and perat the honor of raising money for The ladies persevere till they get suades them to give their services for man to spend—in philanthropic work, the sum required. Then they turn the good of the "caws." Then she their benevolent faces in some other charges a good round admission fee Women are the champion money direction, perhaps to the love's labor raisers of the world when it comes to of procuring luxuries for the inmates of the world consider too small for him of the tender hearted sex here reachwhat lively alacrity the women speed what lively alacrity the women speed away to please him! Have the members of the One Hundred and First provide luxuries for an old men's orthogodic cuchro charges a good round admission fee to the charges a good round admission fee to the entertainment. The performer raisers are good round admission fee to the entertainment. The performer raisers are good round admission fee to the entertainment. The performer raisers are good round admission fee to the entertainment. The performer raisers are good round admission fee to the entertainment. The performer raisers are good round admission fee to the entertainment. The performer raisers are good round admission fee to the entertainment. The performer raisers are good round admission fee to the entertainment. The performer raisers are good round admission fee to the entertainment. The performer raisers are good round admission fee to the entertainment. The performer raisers are good round admission fee to the entertainment. The performer raisers are good round admission fee to the entertainment. The performer raisers are good round admission fee to the entertainment. The performer raisers are good round admission fee to the charges are good round admission fee to the charges are good round admission fee to the fold the performer raisers are good round admission fee to the charges ar bers of the One Hundred and First provide luxuries for an old men's orthopedic euchre parties or a sewchapter of the Mysterious Order of home? ing circle to raise funds to send 70 the Occidental Orb worn out the The loving instincts of woman young men to college or tableaux to 1

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EASTER HAT OF CHIFFON AND BLACK PLUMES.

ng men, a count disclosed that only and so claims to be the oldest sovereign went to church, where there are 60,000 descent through 25 generations of rulers silver gift, and it occupies a conspicution of the soldest sovereign of birds.

Solden Wilhelman and so claims to be the oldest sovereign her bed chamber.

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husband, King Humbert, in a beauti- bon tied about their necks, which were Hanover on June 22 was picked up on lish books. She likes the novels of Eugenie at Cape Martin. The two are

leather cushions of their chairs prompt her ever to devote herself, to butter the bread of butcher boys.

through long polishing of them nights sacrifice herself. Is cash to be col- What next? Perhaps the establish-

when their lonely wives are waiting lected for the Asylum For Uplifting ment or a permanent S. O. F. T. W. O.

for them at home, they notify the Human Wrecks, she goes at it with T. C.-Society For Obtaining False

ladies, sweet souls. The Mysterious a vim; expends energy and brain Teeth For Worn Out Tobacco Chew-

Order would disband to the last mem- power enough to administer success- ers.

turers, readers and singers and per-

their benevolent faces in some other charges a good round admission fee

A piece of Queen Victoria's wedding best, is expected to benefit by her trip

Queen Wilhelmina's husband has a displayed by the looks a German, at lays stress on the fact that the ducal house of Mucklephure is the following ducal house of Macklephure is the following ducal house of the young girl was a portrait about changes in 1,300 postage stamps of the local postmaster contemplates employing only girls in that capacity. It is stated that candidates have applied from all parts of the country.

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The windowed Queen Margherita of Siavonic origin. It traces the builet that killed her white doves, with bows of orange rib-

